

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1152  
By Clabough

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Amanda Mahala Huskey,  
2004 Valedictorian of Pigeon Forge High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Amanda Huskey is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2004 graduating class at Pigeon Forge High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Huskey has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Amanda has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, having received numerous accolades for her outstanding academic achievement, Ms. Huskey garnered several highest average awards and reaped three awards from the Maryville College Math Competition; and

WHEREAS, a talented athlete, Ms. Huskey has played an integral part on the soccer team, serving as Captain and also receiving recognition as the Soccer Defensive MVP; and

WHEREAS, an active and important part of her school, Ms. Huskey has held membership in the Interact Club, Beta Club, FCCLA, and DECA and served as a FSSMC Volunteer; and

WHEREAS, a devout Christian, Ms. Huskey is a dedicated member of the Mount Zion Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, knowing the intrinsic value of higher education, Ms. Huskey plans to continue her scholastic endeavors at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville; she is the recipient of the Volunteer and Hope Scholarships; and

WHEREAS, the intellectual aptitude and ambition Ms. Huskey displays surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Huskey's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Chuck and Doranda Huskey, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Huskey's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2004 Pigeon Forge High School Valedictorian, Amanda Mahala Huskey, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.